

THIS BALTIMORE HERO HAS SAVED EIGHTEEN LIVES.

Captain William H. Chelton Has Been Presented With a Medal by the Government for His Daring Rescues on Land and Sea—Some Stirring Episodes in the Veteran's Career.

Piecing.

That's a word which may not be in the dictionary in this sense of its use, but which is in very common use in some sections of the country. "She's always piecing," they say of the woman who runs to the cupboard at irregular hours and eats a piece of pie, cake, or some other dainty. This irregular eating is one of the chief causes of dyspepsia and "weak" stomach.

Diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition are completely cured by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It increases the supply of rich, pure blood, and gives the body vitality and vigor.

"I was a very weak, very badly treated, Mrs. Lizzie Adams, of 185 Johnson Avenue, Brooklyn, N.Y. 'Had a very poor appetite and was not satisfied with the food I could eat, but would have to go away without even tasting the food. Chancing to hear from a friend who used your Golden Medical Discovery for a disease similar to mine, I thought I would give the medicine a trial, and I can hardly express the benefit derived from it. The first dose seemed to do me good. My appetite returned and I was able to eat. My health improved so much since taking the 'Golden Medical Discovery' I do not look like the same person. Am today well and strong, the result of taking six bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery."

Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser, paper covers, is sent free on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps to pay expense of mailing only. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N.Y.

GAYNORS STILL FUGITIVES FROM FEDERAL JUSTICE.

Bondsman May Have Been Secured Against Loss—Demurrers Argued in Court.

Savannah, Ga., March 8.—The time of the United States Court today was taken up with arguing demurrers to the second indictment against Greene and the Gaynors. W. T. and E. G. Gaynor were in court, but nothing has been heard from Benjamin D. Greene and John F. Gaynor, who defaulted on their bonds yesterday, and are now fugitives from justice.

Byrause, N. Y., March 8.—The Gaynor family at Fayetteville refused to admit visitors or reporters to their home. John P. Gaynor, Jr., through a party opened door, replied to a question concerning his father's whereabouts, saying that he was in Savannah.

It is believed here that W. B. Kirk of this city, who is on John P. Gaynor's bond, has been secured against loss.

BATTLESHIPS NEAR DISASTER.

Camperdown Twice Threatens Empress of India in Fog.

Queenstown, March 8.—During the trip of the channel squadron from Biscayhaven to this port the battleship Camperdown, which sank the battleship Victoria in the Mediterranean, June 22, 1892, twice narrowly escaped sending the battleship Empress of India to the bottom.

There was a dense fog during the whole trip. Soon after starting the Camperdown came within a few feet of the sister battleship, and only a skillful maneuvering prevented a collision. Again, when off Kinsale, the Camperdown was almost in collision with the Empress of India, but the latter's quick action saved her.

SHAW SEES BAGGAGE EXAMINED Personally Investigates Treatment of Returning Tourists.

New York, March 8.—Secretary of the Treasury Shaw visited Wall street today. He called first at the assay office, which he inspected. Accompanied by two attaches of the assay office, the Secretary went to the public stores and visited the subtreasury. Later he went to the dock of the Cunard line to witness the method of baggage inspection of returning tourists, and he announced that he would go to the American Line dock to see how the St. Paul's baggage would be examined.

Citizens' Ticket Nominated.
REPUBLICAN SPECIAL.
Carlyle, Ill., March 8.—A citizen's ticket has been nominated to Meridian Township as follows: Julius Merten and James Jensen, clerk; Robert Brooks and John Schmitt, assessors; Arthur Smith and John T. Hogan, collector; Henry Lipsett and Alex. Carlson, highway commissioners; J. L. Noller and D. G. Price, school trustees.

THE STARVATION PLAN

Of Treating Dyspepsia and Stomach Troubles Is Useless and Unscientific.

The almost certain failure of the starvation plan for curing indigestion has been proven time and again, but even now a course of dieting is generally the first thing recommended for a case of indigestion or any stomach trouble.



Many people with weak digestion, as well as some physicians, consider the first step to be taken in the treatment of indigestion to be to restrict the diet, either by selecting certain foods and rejecting others, or to cut down the amount of food eaten to barely enough to keep soul and body together; in other words, the starvation plan. It is foolish and unscientific to recommend dieting to anyone suffering from indigestion, because indigestion itself starves every organ, and the body is already suffering from starvation.

What people with poor digestion most need is abundant nutrition, plenty of good, wholesome, properly cooked food, and something to assist the weak stomach to digest it.

This is exactly the purpose for which Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are adapted, and the reason why they cure the worst cases of stomach trouble.

Put a sufficient amount of wholesome food and after each meal take one or two of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets to promptly digest it.

In this way the system is nourished and the overworked stomach rested, because the tablets will digest the food whether the stomach will or not, one grain of the active digestive principle in Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets being sufficient to digest \$300 worth of meat, eggs or other albuminous food.

Dr. Farland and Dr. Rodwell recommend these tablets in all cases of defective digestion, because the peptic and diastatic enzymes are supplied from animal matter and other impurities, and being pleasant to the taste, are as safe and harmless for the child as for the adult.

All drug stores sell this excellent preparation, and the daily use of them after meals will be of great benefit, not only as an immediate relief, but to permanently build up and invigorate the digestive organs.

Baltimore, March 8.—Life-saving on land and sea has become a habit with Captain William H. Chelton of this city. He has been presented with a medal by the United States for bravery. He has a record of eighty-two rescues, seventy-three of them being rescues on the water and three being women, whom he pulled from the front of railroad trains just as they were about to be crushed to death. He has never received a cent by way of reward, but has that he prizes even more than money—the affidavits and personal letters of a number of persons whom he has saved.

Some of his rescues have been so daring and filled with so much danger to himself and his vessel that they attracted wide attention when made, but soon the Captain was forgotten by the authorities until he again figured as a hero.

Captain Chelton is a man of medium height, but with a breadth of shoulders and thickness of chest which betokens great strength, and with strong, well-developed legs, which have stood him in good stead in many feats of swimming, by which he has saved his fellow-men from death in the deep. He is a native of Northumberland County, Virginia, where he was born in 1841, but early in life he moved to Maryland and became a sailor. He is still following the water, being captain of the schooner J. H. Chelton.

His First Brave Deed.

In 1858, while still a boy, Captain Chelton

down to her with his small boat, heavily loaded. Having saved half the crew, he beat back to windward, and repeated the trick, getting those who remained on the Northampton. Among those saved were Captain John H. Lawson, Eliza Lawson, William Lawson and two colored men, George Sturdy and Annie Sacket.

In 1857 the ship Samuel Bruster capsized in the Potomac near Hog Island. The captain and crew of five men were in a critical position, sitting on the slippery sides of the ship, when Captain Chelton appeared with his vessel and saved the men. He ran as near the ship as possible and threw lines aboard, by which some of the crew were pulled to his vessel, while the others were taken off by means of the yawl. After taking care of the men the ship was towed into a harbor.

Thanksgiving Day, 1858, that Captain Chelton performed what was probably his most brilliant rescue. A severe storm, which made the air and water bitter cold, was driving the oyster boats to harbor as fast as they could get there, when the icy floating capsized in Tanager Sound. The position of the men on the vessel was horrible, as the water was so cold that swimming was out of the question, and at the same time they fully realized that in a comparatively short while they would be on their way to the bottom.

Vessel after vessel passed the imperiled men, but none had the heartiness to attempt their rescue, during the stormy weather. In such matters, as each vessel went on its way, hope died within the hearts of the floating crew, for they were also convinced that their rescue was practically an impossibility. While in this plight, with

their hands freezing to the lines by which they were held, they were seen by Captain Chelton, who was then in command of the schooner Jennet. He hailed several captains and asked them why they did not try to do something, but was told by all that it was useless.

This did not deter Captain Chelton, and he determined to take off the men. His crew objected, saying that he was absolutely sure to destroy his vessel and his men with it, but without heeding their protest, he anchored near the floating and lowered a boat. In the violent wind it was a marvel that the anchor held, and had it begun to drag Captain Chelton's career as a hero would have ended right there.

Sixth Attempt Succeeded.

The small boat left the Jennet with a line by which it was to be pulled back to the vessel. Five attempts were made to bring the floating crew to the boat, but each was a failure, but on the sixth attempt the capsized vessel was reached.

By this time the men who were on the sides of the vessel were so numbed with cold that they paid no attention to the efforts to save them, but they were quick to catch the lines thrown to them. In fact, they had about decided to let go and end their misery when the Jennet's boat, which was rather strange that they did not see Captain Chelton's craft until she did anchor, and just as the rescue was about to be accomplished, the boat was struck by a wave, and the crew was thrown overboard.

It was with difficulty that the grips which the half-frozen men had with their hands and feet, and the rescue was accomplished. The operation being rendered so difficult by the high sea and fierce wind.

Fight for Life.

At last all were taken off and then began the fight for life to get back to the Jennet with the overloaded yawl, but it was finally accomplished, the anchor was taken up and the rescue was accomplished.

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Carried Shipmates Ashore.

About 300 yards away was a yawlboat which had gone ashore, and Captain Chelton, by hard swimming, in the rough water, managed to catch it. He then went back after his shipmates and carried them ashore. The only member of the party the Captain remembers is John S. Tull, who is still married and an affidavit regarding the facts of the rescue of John Nichols, a man named Richmond, another named Willis and a musician.

In 1863 he saved two more men at Pungoteague, who had gotten adrift in a boat and could not be reached by the vessel. The water was icy cold, but the Captain jumped overboard and swam to the line by swimming 100 yards. All hands were then pulled to the vessel.

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OUR ATTRACTIONS

This week are the kind that should give us the largest business in our history. Our mammoth establishment is overflowing with Bargains in every dept. Below we illustrate a few of the many we have to offer:

3 Rooms Furnished Complete, \$86.00 | 4 Rooms Furnished Complete, \$107.00
\$8.00 Cash, Balance Easy Payments | \$10.00 Cash, Balance Easy Payments.

This elegant Sideboard, well made and nicely carved.

\$8.69

Elegant Pictures, in assorted frames and subjects, complete with frame and glass; regular price 50c; size 8x11; this week, only.

12c

Iron Beds, any size or color.

\$1.49

Combination Kitchen Table and Cabinet.

\$1.98

High-back chair, oak or mahogany, any finish.

55c

5-piece Parlor Suite, mahogany finished frames, covered in velour.

\$15.95

High-back chair, oak or mahogany, any finish.

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CARPET DEPARTMENT.

INGRAIN CARPETS.	ROOM-SIZE RUGS.	BRUSSELS CARPETS.
Good Ingrain Carpet, 23c	Good Room-Size Rugs, \$3.98	Good Brussels Carpets, 39c
Better Grade Ingrain Carpet, 39c	Better Grade Room-Size Rugs, \$6.89	Better Grade Brussels Carpets, 47c
No. 1 Grade Ingrain Carpet, 53c	Brussels Rugs, \$12.85	Extra Heavy Brussels Carpets, 69c

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DAILY BATTLES OF THE MICROBE SLAYERS.

These foes differ much in virulence, and they are of many tribes and nations. You know many of them by name at any rate, such as the consumption germs, the diphtheria germs, the influenza germs and the smallpox germs.

Battles for Supremacy.
Their hosts are almost innumerable, and their names are often almost as fearful as themselves. You talk glibly of having caught a cold. What you mean is that the micrococci catarrhalis germs have caught you. When the little red fellows have slaughtered these germs, you tell people that you have thrown off your cold.

When you say that your baby is losing its color, you mean that the pigmentophages tribe has stormed it and is eating up all the coloring matter. The same thing is true of all your ailments. The enemy is fighting for supremacy, and the little reds in red are dying for your sake.

MISS PETERS SAVED PARENTS.

Assisted Her Father and Mother From Burning House.

REPUBLICAN SPECIAL.
Pittsburg, March 8.—At the probable cost of her own life, Miss Rose Peters rescued her father and mother and partially helped her mother from their burning home on the Dayton pike, four miles from here. At an early hour this morning a fire started by a terrible explosion, and the entire house burst into flames. Mr. Peters, who is a cripple, was left in the house while Rose assisted her mother to the outside. Then, although the building was already a blazing furnace, she went back to get her father. In doing so the young girl was so terribly burned that the outcome is doubtful.

WOMAN SUES MILLIONAIRE.

Alleges Breach of Promise in Suit Against L. R. Anderson.

La Grange, Ind., March 8.—Mrs. Etta Hayward Holiday, now living at Marcello, Ind., has filed suit against L. R. Anderson, of Decatur, alleging breach of promise, and asking \$100,000 damages. Mrs. Holiday is an attractive woman, 40 years of age.

Anderson is one of the largest land-owners in Southern Michigan and a millionaire. She says that Anderson persuaded her to divorce her former husband under promise of marriage, a promise not fulfilled.

Holiday, previous to the separation from her wife, resided with Anderson, and so Anderson was in a position to know the facts of the case. Anderson was granted a divorce in September, 1900, on grounds of cruelty and drunkenness, for she alleges that after she had been divorced from her husband she became engaged to Anderson, and he called on her frequently and arrangements were made for marriage. Since the divorce was granted, Holiday has been in the employ of Anderson.

Married Women

Every woman covets a shapely, pretty figure, and many of them deplore the loss of their girlish forms after marriage. The bearing of children is often destructive to the mother's shapeliness. All of this can be avoided, however, by the use of Mother's Friend before baby comes, as this great liniment always prepares the body for the strain upon it, and preserves the symmetry of her form. Mother's Friend overcomes all the danger of child-birth, and carries the expectant mother safely through this critical period without pain. It is woman's greatest blessing. Thousands gratefully tell of the benefit and relief derived from the use of this wonderful remedy. Sold by all druggists at \$1.00 per bottle. Our little book, telling all about this liniment, will be sent free.

The Bradford Regulator Co., Atlanta, Ga.

ANNOUNCEMENT

I desire to inform my friends and patrons that I am now connected with the Phoenix Furniture Co., 1113-1115 Olive street, where I will be pleased to see all of my old friends and for acquaintance of new ones.

HENRY M. DAVIS.

that policemen notify all owners of unlicensed dogs to obtain licenses before April 1, and after that date to report all dogs to the district office. The law providing for a fine of from \$5 to \$50 for keeping unlicensed dogs.

LABORERS WANTED BY CITY.
Superintendent cannot get enough laborers for street-cleaning work. Laborers in need of work can obtain employment by applying to the district office, he says. The offices are located at Arsenal and Ohio streets, No. 233 Clark avenue, No. 1711 Washington street, and on the east side of Grand avenue, opposite the Fair Grounds.

Mrs. Marks' Estate Divided.
REPUBLICAN SPECIAL.
Brees, Ill., March 8.—In the will of Mrs. Theresa Marks, who died last week at Brees, Ill., the testatrix directs that all of her property, excepting two lots in Brees, which are left to her daughter, Mrs. Arline Funk, be divided equally between the aforesaid daughter and her son, the Reverend Father Marks, who lives in Jerseyville, Ill. He is nominated as executor without bond. The estimated value of the estate is \$15,000.

TO COLLECT DOG LICENSES.
Collector Whyte yesterday sent a communication to Chief of Police Kelly suggesting that he collect dog licenses.